

# High School to College and Career Pathway: Secondary

Area of Study: Family & Consumer Sciences Education

## Pathway: Child Development

Middle School		State Requirements			High School Suggested Education Plan				College & Careers																																												
7 <sup>th</sup> Grade	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Middle School		High School	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Suggested	10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Suggested	11 <sup>th</sup> Grade Suggested	12 <sup>th</sup> Grade Suggested	Beyond High School																																												
Language Arts 7 1.00	Language Arts 8 1.00	2.00	Language Arts	3.00	Language Arts 9 1.00	Language Arts 10 1.00	Language Arts 11 1.00	(1 additional credit—class of 2011)	<p>There are a number of options for education and training beyond high school, depending on your career goals.</p> <p>&gt; Certificate</p> <p>&gt; Associate degree</p> <p>&gt; Bachelor's degree</p> <p>&gt; Professional degree</p> <p>&gt; On-the-job training</p> <p>&gt; Apprenticeship</p> <p>&gt; Military training</p>																																												
Pre-Algebra 1.00	Elem. Algebra or Applied Math 1.00	2.00	Math	2.00	Geometry or Applied Math II 1.00	Intermediate Algebra 1.00	(1 additional credit—class of 2011)																																														
Science .50	Science 1.00	1.50	Science	2.00	Earth Systems 1.00	Biological Science 1.00	(1 additional credit—class of 2011)																																														
Utah Studies .50	U.S. History I 1.00	1.50	Social Studies	2.50	Geography for Life .50	World Civilizations .50	U.S. History II 1.00	U.S. Government and Citizenship .50																																													
P.E. 1.00	Health .50	1.50	P.E./Health	2.00	Participation Skills and Techniques .50	Fitness for Life .50 / Health Education .50 Lifetime Activities or Sport .50																																															
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<b>Workforce Trends</b> Child care workers held about 1.3 million jobs in 2004. About 1 out of 3 child care workers was self-employed. 17% of all child care workers are found in child day care services, and about 21% work for private households.  According to the U.S. Department of Labor, employment of child care workers is projected to increase 9 to 17% for all occupations through the year 2014.  <b>Get the Facts</b> Nationwide, families pay approximately 60% of their total annual estimated expenditures on child care. Formal child care generates 2.8 billion jobs.		Core Curriculum and elective requirements may vary district to district. Check with your school counselor.  Concurrent enrollment course offerings vary by school and district.			<b>Career and Technical Education Recommended Pathway Courses</b> (Students may select individual courses for exploration, or a complete Pathway for an in-depth focus.) <b>CLASS AVAILABILITY MAY VARY AT YOUR HIGH SCHOOL</b> <table><thead><tr><th>Course #</th><th>Foundation Courses: (required)</th><th>Credit</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>20.0201</td><td>Child Care I</td><td>1.00</td></tr><tr><td>20.0102</td><td>Child Development *</td><td>.50</td></tr><tr><td>20.0108</td><td>Food &amp; Nutrition I</td><td>.50</td></tr><tr><td colspan="3"><b>Elective Courses:</b></td></tr><tr><td>52.0312</td><td>Accounting I</td><td>.50</td></tr><tr><td>20.0211</td><td>Child Care II *</td><td>.50</td></tr><tr><td>20.0118</td><td>Food &amp; Nutrition II</td><td>.50</td></tr><tr><td>20.0138</td><td>Foundations of Nutrition *</td><td>.50</td></tr><tr><td>20.0112</td><td>Human Development</td><td>1.00</td></tr><tr><td>20.0111</td><td>Young Parents/Grad *</td><td>.50</td></tr><tr><td>20.0212</td><td>Early Childhood Internship</td><td>.50</td></tr><tr><td>32.0199</td><td>Student Internship (Critical Workplace Skills)</td><td>.50</td></tr></tbody></table> <p>* Course can be taken up to 1.00 credit.</p> <p>Many Utah post-secondary programs accept high school courses toward a two- or four-year degree through concurrent enrollment. Check regional post-secondary Pathways for details.</p>				Course #	Foundation Courses: (required)	Credit	20.0201	Child Care I	1.00	20.0102	Child Development *	.50	20.0108	Food & Nutrition I	.50	<b>Elective Courses:</b>			52.0312	Accounting I	.50	20.0211	Child Care II *	.50	20.0118	Food & Nutrition II	.50	20.0138	Foundations of Nutrition *	.50	20.0112	Human Development	1.00	20.0111	Young Parents/Grad *	.50	20.0212	Early Childhood Internship	.50	32.0199	Student Internship (Critical Workplace Skills)	.50	2.00 credits		1.00 credit		3.00 credits for completion	
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<b>Sample Occupations</b> <p>&gt; Child Care Aide/Worker</p> <p>&gt; Family and Consumer Sciences Education Teacher</p> <p>&gt; Preschool Teacher</p> <p>&gt; School Psychologist</p> <p>&gt; Special Education Teacher</p> <p>&gt; Social Worker</p> <p>&gt; Teacher Assistant</p>																																																					
For more information on salary projections, labor market demand, and training options, visit <a href="http://www.careers.utah.gov">www.careers.utah.gov</a> .																																																					

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